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House Resolution 1244

By: Representative Smith of the 70th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating Mr. Darwin R. Drewyer, Sr., on the occasion of his 100th birthday; and for
- 2 other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Mr. Darwin "Darb" R. Drewyer, Sr., was born in Minneapolis, MN, on January
- 4 23, 1906; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Mr. Drewyer is the most senior member of the Drewyer family, direct
- 6 descendants of the lead scout of the Lewis and Clark expedition, George Drouillard (the
- 7 family name was first spelled "Drewyer" by Meriwether Lewis in his famous journals); and
- 8 WHEREAS, Mr. Drewyer enjoyed a happy and loving marriage to the late Gladys Drewyer,
- 9 and the couple had two wonderful children, Darwin R. Drewyer, Jr., and Marilyn Drewyer
- 10 Brown; and
- WHEREAS, this devoted family man is the proud patriarch of a large and loving clan that
- 12 includes his 12 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren;
- 13 and
- 14 WHEREAS, Mr. Drewyer is a former resident of Georgia who lived on Landgreen Street in
- 15 Atlanta just before I-85 was built in the Clairmont Road area, and he still has great affection
- 16 for our state and loves watching the Masters golf tournament; and
- 17 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlemen has watched the world change dramatically over
- 18 the course of his lifetime and has contributed to its progress by his own hard work and good
- 19 citizenship; and

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1 WHEREAS, by the shining example he has made of his life, Mr. Drewyer makes this world

- 2 a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that he be appropriately
- 3 recognized during this very special and memorable time of his life.
- 4 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 5 the members of this body express their congratulations and best wishes to Mr. Darwin R.
- 6 Drewyer, Sr., on the happy event of his 100th birthday and thank him for the many
- 7 contributions he has made to Georgia and the world during a century of outstanding living.
- 8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 9 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Darwin R. Drewyer, Sr.